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Chief, Task Force 1

Chief of Section, JMWAVE
Operational, YROSE/SUBSEK

Relating to: Miguel Angel GUEVARA, alias GUELLANA

ACTION REQUIRED: None; FYI

1. Subject was received from SAC on 3 February 1962 and taken to a safe site where he was debriefed for information. The purpose of the debriefing was to ascertain the subject's activities in Cuba and determining if he had any relationship with the G-2 or any other security organization.

2. During the course of the debriefing the subject appeared to be willing to cooperate and there were no indications of an attempt of deception. However, it is believed that the subject is a sharp operator, an opportunist and an individual motivates by his wife. He is very verbose, loud and attempts to hold the floor at all times.

3. GUELLANA claims that he had no relationship with the Cuban G-2, that he knew Fausto VALDÉS, Chief of the G-2, and Manuel PINELA, Deputy Chief of the G-2, but that he never conducted any business with them. He stated that he knew many G-2 agents by sight but never knew their names. He is of the opinion that all members of the G-2 are Communists and individuals of very low caliber.

4. Subject was granted asylum in the Uruguayan Embassy on 06/08 April 1962, which has created a number of difficulties.

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in the Uruguayan Embassy because he had to seek asylum up by the Cuban Security Services. He claims that in March 1961 he was engaged in the transportation of material and personnel from Havana to the "Segundo Frente" in the Locateyay Mountains, in the Province of Santa Clara. At this time he was cooperating with "Zenito" M. Jiménez.

-GUTIERREZ, Mariano,

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was arrested in March 1961 and during the course of his interrogation

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by the Security Service. "Fidelito" denied any association with the subject. In view of this, no further investigation was made.

3. SUBJECT admitted that during the last year he was involved in negotiations for the purchase of arms and equipment for the Cuban revolutionaries. That during the month of September, 1961, he was in Los Angeles, California where he traveled under the name of purchasing arms from John F. WEAVER. It was his intent of Los Angeles. He said that he did not purchase the arms from WEATHER but that he did make arrangements for the weapons. Elements to confirm these arms from WEATHER. It is believed that the subject may have engaged in other criminal activities which he did not mention. This description is based on the information he provided in the attached Personal History, detailing regarding his travel and the short, temporary jobs he held in the past.

4. Subject also admitted that he was arrested on 26 April 1961 by the DIA because of his connection with a group engaged in the purchase and sale of arms, supplies to the Cuban rebels. According to Subject he was a member "Frente de Anti-Desarrollo" who was engaged in the purchase of false papers which he endeavored to take out of the country. One of FDN's associates, Vicente Benito "MIGUEL" Hernandez and his companion, VERA, were arrested by the Security Services. Allegedly, VERA and RODRIGUEZ informed the Security Services that the Subject knew the whereabouts of RAMOS. Subject was arrested and asked to provide the address of RAMOS. Subject stated that he knew RAMOS and after being held for four days he was held out by MIGUEL and RODRIGUEZ, who were released a few days before the release of Subject.

5. Subject denies any association with the Communist Party, C-2 or any other Security Service. He claims to be a true Communist and is willing to do anything in his power to combat Capitalism and liberate Cuba. Subject has an interest in CUBA'S interest and was returned to CUBA for interrogation. The SUBJECT does not contemplate any future contact with the

6. JMWAVE traces reflect the following information on some of the individuals mentioned in this dispatch:

a. Eloy GUTIERREZ - Possibly "Contingente" Subject of RUL-263349, released 23 July 1961, and RUL-263350, 22 August 1961; [REDACTED] 1 September 1961; and RUL-263351, 20 December 1961.

b. Aurelio SILVA - Possibly identical with Aurelio SILVA, former member of Cuban National Police, RUL-263347, 19 June 1961.

c. Domingo MEDINA - Possibly identified with Domingo MEDINA mentioned in RUL-263284, 26 September 1961.

d. General Genovevo FIERRE Davera - Possibly identical with Genovevo FIERRE Davera, one-time member of staff of the Cuban Army. Eng. RUL-5580, 26 October 1959.

There are no identifiable traces on all other individuals mentioned in this dispatch.

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